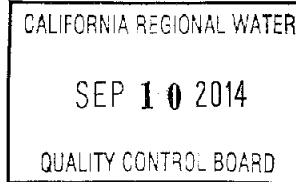


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August 29, 2014

San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board
Bruce H. Wolfe, Executive Officer
1515 Clay Street, Suite 1400
Oakland, CA 94612

Re: Submittal of Local Area Management Plan (LAMP)

Dear Mr. Wolfe:

We are formally submitting the LAMP for the Santa Clara County Department of Environmental Health (DEH) in accordance with State Water Resources Control Board Resolution 2012-0032, the *Water Quality Control Policy for Siting, Design, Operation, and Maintenance of Onsite Wastewater Treatment Systems* (OWTS Policy). DEH is submitting this LAMP to obtain approval for OWTS management under Tier 2 of the OWTS Policy. We intend to continue providing local oversight of OWTS requirements prescribed by DEH Ordinance No. Ns-517-85 recently adopted December 2013 by the Santa Clara County Board of Supervisors and the rules, regulations and guidelines contained in the Onsite Systems Manual dated May 2014.

We have been working cooperatively with Blair Allen of your team for over a year to develop this plan – and we appreciate his ongoing thorough technical ability, assistance, and guidance as we have developed this plan for your review.

We would be happy to provide a presentation to your review team upon request. Please feel free to contact me at (408) 918-1976 or via email at Michael.Balliet@deh.sccgov.org if there are any questions. Thank you for your continued assistance.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael Balliet", written over a horizontal line.

Michael Balliet
Director, Consumer Protection Division

Enc: Local Area Management Plan; Onsite Systems Manual

Cc w/o enc:

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